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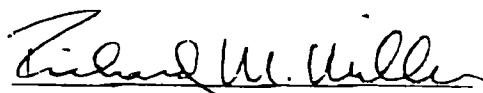
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Subject: Fingerprint Processing of Military Personnel for Naturalization

Special fingerprinting procedures have been developed to ensure processing of applications for naturalization filed by certain military personnel. Under these procedures, the applicant for naturalization because of military service will be given an appointment notice by the Department of Defense. The appointment notice will contain a specific date and time to appear at a designated ASC or Colo, with photo identification and/or the person's Alien Registration Receipt Card. No advance notice is given to the ASC or Colo. A copy of the Department of Defense Referral Fingerprint Notification to be used for this purpose is attached.

When the person appears and presents his or her appointment notice, the ASC or Colo will take his or her fingerprints and forward them in the usual manner. Thus, the sole aspect of this process that is unusual is the ability of the applicant to appear for fingerprinting without advance notice to the ASC or Colo.


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Attachment

